

1. The gravitational field strength on the surface of a planet with twice Earth's mass and the same radius is:
 - a) 4.9 N/kg
 - b) 9.8 N/kg
 - c) 19.6 N/kg
 - d) 39.2 N/kg
 2. The magnitude of the electric field at a point 0.5 m from a $+2.0 \mu\text{C}$ charge is:
 - a) $7.2 \times 10^3 \text{ N/C}$
 - b) $3.6 \times 10^3 \text{ N/C}$
 - c) $4.0 \times 10^4 \text{ N/C}$
 - d) $8.0 \times 10^4 \text{ N/C}$
 3. A proton moving at $2.0 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$ enters a magnetic field of 1.5 T at right angles to its velocity. What is the magnitude of the magnetic force on the proton?
 - a) $2.4 \times 10^{-13} \text{ N}$
 - b) $4.8 \times 10^{-13} \text{ N}$
 - c) $6.0 \times 10^{-13} \text{ N}$
 - d) $1.2 \times 10^{-13} \text{ N}$
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4. Two masses, 5.0 kg, are separated by a distance of 2.0 m.
 - a) Calculate the gravitational force between them.
 - b) What happens to the force if the distance is halved?
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5. A $+1.5 \mu\text{C}$ charge is placed 0.2 m away from a $+2.0 \mu\text{C}$ charge.
 - a) Calculate the electric potential energy of the system.
 - b) Is the potential energy positive or negative? Explain.
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6. A $+3.0 \mu\text{C}$ charge creates an electric field.
 - a) Calculate the electric field strength at a distance of 1.0 m.
 - b) If a $+2.0 \mu\text{C}$ test charge is placed at this point, find the force it experiences.
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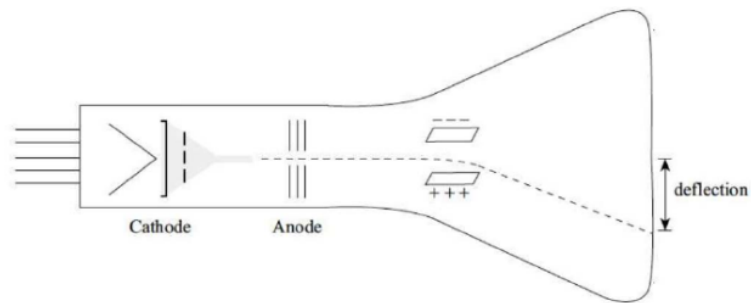
7. An electron moving at $5.0 \times 10^6 \text{ m/s}$ enters a 0.010 T magnetic field at right angles to its motion.
 - a) Calculate the magnetic force on the electron.
 - b) Determine the radius of the circular path it follows.
(Mass of electron = $9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$, charge of electron = $1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$)
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8. Compare and contrast gravitational and electric forces in terms of:
 - a) Dependence on mass vs. charge
 - b) Nature of the forces (attractive or repulsive)

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9. A charged particle enters a magnetic field at an angle of 90° to the field lines. Explain:
- Why the particle experiences a force.
 - Why the force does no work on the particle.
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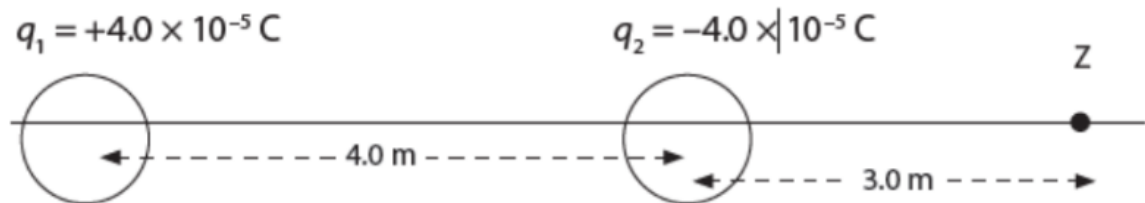
10. Explain why astronauts in orbit feel weightless even though Earth's gravitational field still acts on them.

11. In a cathode-ray tube, electrons are accelerated from the cathode towards the anode by an accelerating voltage V_a . After passing through the anode, the electrons are deflected by the two oppositely-charged parallel plates.



If the accelerating voltage V_a is decreased, will the deflection increase, decrease, or remain the same? Using principles of physics, explain your answer. [K – 4 marks]

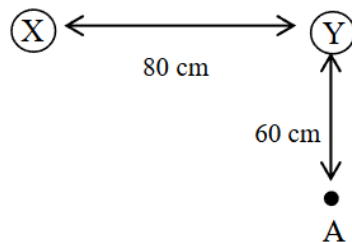
12. Examine the charge distribution shown.



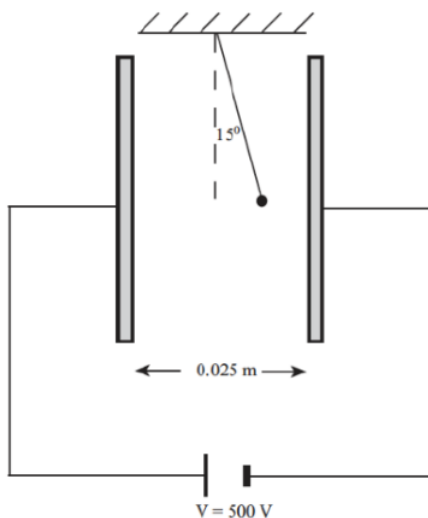
- a) What will the net force be on a third charge of $q_3 = -3.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ C}$ placed at point Z? (4 marks)

13. Fields

Determine the electric field strength (magnitude and direction) experienced by a test particle at the point A, due to the two charges X ($-2.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ C}$) and Y ($+3.9 \times 10^{-4} \text{ C}$).



14. A small $4.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}$ charged sphere is suspended by a light thread between parallel plates, as shown in the diagram below. When the plates are connected to a 500 V source, the thread makes a 15° angle with the vertical.



If the charge on the sphere is doubled, what is the angle the string will make? Include a Free Body Diagram. [A – 5 marks, T – 5 marks]